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## SUIT

To Oust The Coal Companies of Ohio.

Governor Nash and Attorney General Sheets Make the Attack.

Governor Nash and Attorney General Sheets have attacked the coal trust in the Supreme Court. Suits were filed to oust from their charters the following Ohio coal mine operating companies, being the ones that control the coal in Ohio:

Sunday Creek Coal Company, which handles Morgan's syndicate coal, controlling practically all the Hocking Valley.

The New Pittsburgh Coal Company.

The Columbus & Hocking Coal & Iron Company.

The Salisbury Coal Company.

The Congo Coal & Mining Company.

The Middle States Coal Company and the General Hocking Fuel Company.

Some vigorous action by Governor Nash to break up the present squeezing of the public by the coal operators and dealers was exclusively anticipated in these dispatches prior to filing suit.

At first the Governor and Attorney General believed that the railroads were to blame. Their investigations, which were concluded with the conference with Supt. Peters, of the Pennsylvania, convinced them that the railroads were blameless and that the companies are responsible.

If the railroads are behind the coal operators financially, as is popularly suspected, they will be hit just as hard by the suits against the coal companies as though they were against the railroads direct.

The suits are brought under the Ohio antitrust law, commonly known as the Valentine-Stewart act. It is charged that all the companies named are in a conspiracy or combination in restraint of trade, and for the purpose of extorting unreasonable prices from coal consumers. The Governor and Attorney General are determined, they say, to press the prosecutions to a finish.

Their plans were facilitated by the members of the Supreme Court allowing the suits to be brought direct in that court, instead of following the "custom" in such cases of starting in the Circuit Court.

One of the strong pieces of evidence that will be used against the coal operators is the fact that they only charge Columbus dealers \$1.75 per ton, while dealers in other cities are charged \$3 per ton. This is being done to allay feeling at the State Capital, where all the State officials charged with enforcing the laws live.

**Taft to Remain Governor of Philippines.**

After mature consideration, it has been decided by the President that Judge Taft shall remain in the Philippines as Civil Governor. For several weeks it was regarded as settled that Gov. Taft would return to this country soon to become a justice of the United States Supreme Court. As soon as it was learned in the Philippines that Governor Taft was likely to leave the islands, cabled protests began to pour in on the President from prominent Filipinos. It was pointed out to the President that Governor Taft was ideally equipped for the position of Governor and that any change at this time would be disastrous to the best interests of the archipelago. Governor Taft will remain indefinitely as Civil Governor of the Philippines.

## SOME FACTS

About Marconi's Discovery of Wireless Telegraphy.

This is One of the Greatest Achievements.

Without the aid of cable, telegraphic messages have been sent across the Atlantic. The announcement was made by Signor Marconi, that he had sent to King Edward, of England, and King Victor Emmanuel, of Italy, messages of graduation, and had received an answer.

The messages were sent from Table Head, Cape Breton, to Poldhu, Cornwall, the most westerly point of England. At the former place, Signor Marconi occupies a station built expressly for his use at a cost of \$200,000. It consists of four wooden pillars 225 feet high, which have been erected on the bluff, itself, seventy-five feet above the level of the sea. The pillars stand at the corners of a square in the centre of which is the operating-room. The towers are connected near the top by wires, from which hang a large number of copper wires, the ends of which enter the operating-room. In this room is a transmitter of tremendous power and a receiver of exceedingly delicate capacity. There is no other instrument or any apparent connection between the operator and the person he is talking to eighteen hundred miles away.

The beginning of the experiments, which have now had so triumphant an outcome, was made in 1895, on a farm near Bologna, Italy. William Marconi, then a youth barely twenty years of age, set up two poles eighty inches high and 100 feet apart. On the top of each pole he placed a tin box, from which a wire ran to an ordinary telegraph instrument at the foot of the pole. There was no wire from one pole to the other, but signals made at one pole were received at the other. This was the key to the great discovery. It was obvious that the electric current could travel, at least for a short distance, without the wire we had deemed essential for its journey. The next step was to discover the conditions by which that distance could be increased. Marconi doubled the length of his poles and placed them farther apart. They were shifted as far as the signals were received, until it was found that 340 feet was the distance that they would travel from pole thirteen feet four inches high. The principle was thus established, that, under ordinary conditions, the higher the pole the longer the distance electricity would travel without a wire for its conveyance.

With this discovery, Signor Marconi went to England to secure aid in its development. Experiments were made with balloons and kites, which, while not producing practical results, proved the soundness of the principle of the distance being dependent on the height of the transmitting and receiving stations. They also showed that the distance in the higher altitudes was much greater in proportion than in the lower. The distance increased not according to the increase of the height of the pole, but according to the square of the height of the pole. Thus, doubling the height of the pole, increased the distance four times, and trebling its height increased the distance nine times. It was also found that hills or buildings intervening, proved no obstacles to the current. In one experiment there was a hill between the two masts 314 feet higher than

they, yet the signals were as distinct as if nothing interposed.

The work of experimenting went on and new discoveries were made. Various improvements in the instruments rendered it possible to increase the distance without increasing in the height of the masts. Copper reflectors were found to be important aids in directing the course of the current for short distances, and finally the operation known as "tuning" was discovered, which is an important part of the Marconi system. This consists in adjusting the power of the receiver to that of the transmitter, which may be done to an unlimited extent as is done with the Yale lock key. To such an extent has this system been perfected that, though when a current is started it may spread in circles to every point of the compass, no receiver is affected but the one attuned to the key of the transmitter. However numerous may be the receivers scattered over intervening space, there is only one that receives the message, unless others have been attuned to that particular key.

Since 1899, when the Marconi system received general recognition, the uses to which it has been put have multiplied. Its chief value has been found in its use as a steamer. By a wire suspended from the mast of a ship and connected with an instrument on deck, messages are received from the shore for hundreds of miles. Passing ships communicate with one another. During the voyage of two vessels of the Cunard Line in Dec., the vessel proceeding to England was in communication for two days in mid-ocean with the vessel coming to New York. Messages were exchanged freely, though the vessels were never in sight of one another. It would thus be possible for a vessel in distress, if equipped with the Marconi apparatus, to call upon other vessels for help, though none were visible. The approach of ships may also be announced long before they can be seen. This has been practically proved by the enterprise of the New York Herald, which has equipped a vessel stationed off Nantucket with the Marconi apparatus. It receives reports from incoming vessels and sends them by wire to New York.

### Hard Luck.

The W. C. T. U. is having a hard time of it. First, the Louisville preachers refused to join them in inviting the National Temperance Association to meet here, and now somebody has hung the portrait of the late Mrs. Harrison in the basement of the White House. The ladies say they gave it conditionally and they want it back. It does look sort of shady to degrade the portrait of a former mistress of the White House to the basement, if for any one deserves a place on the walls of the building it is the dead and living Presidents and their wives. The trouble with the W. C. T. U., however, is the strenuous way they have of demanding things. A member of the organization declared "we have no middle course, and a middle course is not always the best, as this anecdote will show. An Irishman was driving down a rough road one night and, looking ahead, saw two red lamps gleaming in front of him. 'Faith,' said he, 'which way shall I drive? Maybe I'd better take a middle course an' drive between them lamps.' He did. The vehicle, however, proved to be an omnibus and Pat's middle course was his ruin."

Three hundred women are on a strike for more money at the Sof-folk, Va., Peanut Company's factory.

### Race Appointments.

The New York Herald, at whose editorial head was displayed, until recently, the name of Theodore Roosevelt for President in 1904, advises the President to withdraw the name of Crum, the colored man nominated for Collector of the Port at Charleston, and to reopen the postoffice at Indianapolis, Mississippi, with a Postmaster acceptable to the citizens thereabout. It argues that he can no more enforce political equality of the races in the master of officeholding than he can enforce social equality. The Herald says:

"It matters not what the personal objections may be; if it is shared by the community and the appointment is obnoxious to the citizens, that is enough to render it unfit and impolitic, especially in view of the fact that there are plenty of men as well qualified and personally unobjectionable. Would President Roosevelt think of forcing upon New York, Boston, Philadelphia or San Francisco a Collector or Postmaster from the unanimous protest of business men and citizens? Why is not a leading Southern city entitled to equal consideration? He recalled Consul Bragg from Havana because he was not acceptable to the Cuban people. Why not recall the nominations of Dr. Crum from the Senate because it is obnoxious to the citizens of Charleston? It is an issue of more than local concern, and of far-reaching importance and consequence. The Charleston appointment and the Indiana affair have stirred Southern feeling as it has not been stirred for years. Both were unwise and uncalled for steps in a policy which can only mean serious mischief and cannot be abandoned too soon for the good of the negro as well as the white people of the South and the entire nation. It is to be hoped that the President will retrace his steps before a bitter sectional discussion is provoked in the Senate."

The recognition of the colored man in the South by the President is a mere political move. The white Republicans in the Southern States are no better pleased with the appointment of colored men and women to offices than the Democrats are. The plea that colored people in the South have been officially taken notice of as a matter of eternal justice will not be popularly regarded as sincere, especially while Northern colored men are overlooked. The coddling of Booker Washington, the appointment of Crum, and the false story of outrage at the Indianapolis post office, will all be accepted as means of getting delegates from the South at the national convention. To use an expressive popular phrase, the Southern outrage business is "played out." The Herald is right. The President has made a mistake. Anybody in so high a position as that of President of the United States who thinks that the colored people have not been advanced rapidly enough, and especially that the Republican party has not been good enough to them, has other means of carrying out his theories besides appointment to office. Crum, of Charleston, and the woman who was Postmaster at Indianapolis, would no doubt feel honored if there should be a reception at the White House in their honor.—Cincinnati Enquirer."

Pierpont Morgan is undoubtedly the most fascinating figure before the world today. "Mr. Morgan, His Advisers and His Organization," are discussed at length in the January Cosmopolitan by John Brisben Walker, who spent ten days with Mr. Morgan's and Mr. John Mitchell's offices, in September, in the attempt to settle the coal-strike.

### THE RAMBLER.

Wise and Otherwise, *BORNED, BORNED, STOLEN.*

There was a young gent they called Blake,

Who went out to glide on the lake;

The ice being thin,

He soon tumbled in.

To the place where they never can skate

"Rambler" has a funny picture

puzzle which he will introduce in

this column next week. Those

interested in this peculiar style of

entertainment will find this puzzle

modest in its make-up and laugh-

er-inspiring in its meaning. To

the first person sending in the correct

answer we will offer a prize well worth the time consumed in

solving the "funny sentence" the

objects on the puzzle bring out.

Look for it next week.

"Some time ago an English periodical published an epitaph, says The Bookman, which it proposed as a suitable one to be carved upon Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan's monument whenever the need for such an inscription should arrive. This epitaph was originally in four lines, but an accomplished friend of ours has condensed it into two, thereby enhancing its point and neatness. We give it below in its revised form:

"He rests beneath the earth he made his own,  
And God once more is running things alone."

Failing to secure a wife through matrimonial agents, advertisements or in the usual way, John W. Miller, of Secaucus, N. J., has hit upon an original plan of securing a wife. He has put himself up at a raffle among the women of his immediate neighborhood at 25 cents a chance, the winner to take him, his saving and farm of 27 acres. Miller has sold 711 tickets. Five colored women bought tickets and he is in despair lest one of them should prove the lucky contender and carry off both him and his worldly goods. Miller is 57 years old, 5 feet 5 inches, has fierce red beard and hair and tender blue eyes. He declares he will abide by the conditions of the raffle, but admits that he is "mighty nervous" for fear one of the five copper colored damsels will draw the winning chance.

The ADVOCATE office seems to be a popular rendezvous for many good people, and among the number are expounders of the gospel, who come in to pay the editors a pleasant call or to give us some religious news. A few days ago one of the eminent divines of the city came in, walked back to where the "intelligent composers" were at work and after listening with interest to a funny story (?) told by "Shimmy," he comes back at him in his usually unexcelled jocund style, with this pathetic story: A good brother having lost his wife, had the following epitaph engraved on the tomb stone. "The light of my life went out." Some time after the good brother married again and being fearful lest his second wife should see the epitaph he hastened to the marble cutter to know what he must do. "Oh, said he, what I fit that," so he engraved the following line beneath the first: "But I struck another match."

Overs in Campbell County, Ky., the roads are in a condition which evokes sinful words from the mouths of the farmers. And living out in the country, along one of these dreadful highways, is a boy, who goes after the officials in rhyme. Hearken:

Many had a little *bit*, she driv it ore the market lode.  
But when she driv it ore the rode, the market lode.  
That all the wheels, they jolted off, and  
Many lost her stuff.

The People's Organ.

Largest circulation of any Journal in the Tenth Congressional District.

## PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

On Saturday, January 24, 1903

at 10 A. M. at the

West Louisville, Ky.

With sell at public auction on the farm known as the J. C. Tyler farm, one mile north of Mt. Pleasant, the following personal property:

1000 Bush Cows, 2 Fat Cows,

1000 Sheep, 1000 Goats,

1000 Chickens, 2 Fat Chickens,

1000 Horses, 2000 Mares,

1000 Wagons, 2000 Horses,

1000 Buggies and Harness,

1000 Wagons, 2000 Horses,

## ADVOCATE PUBLISHING CO.

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nouncement inserted until paid for.

## Clerk Court of Appeals.

We are authorized to announce.

W. B. O'CONNELL,  
of Montgomery county, a candidate for Clerk of  
the Circuit Court, subject to the action of the  
Democratic party.

## For Railroad Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce.

JOHN C. WOOD,  
a candidate for election to the office of Rail-  
road Commissioner subject to the action of the  
Republican party.

## For Representative.

10th District,  
J. W. CRAVENS,  
of Meigs County.

## For Circuit Judge.

Twenty-first District,  
HON. ALICE W. YOUNG.

## For Commonwealth Attorney

21st District of the Interior,  
ALEX. CONNER,  
of Fayette County.

## For Circuit Court Clerk.

H. J. HUNT.

## OUR BUSINESS INTERESTS.

The business of Mt. Sterling is of such proportions that it is of value to public carriers and can be made more valuable if we are wise in making connections with other roads. The roads should be feeders as well as a means of competitive outlets. We should study well our own interests and work to that end. It was possible at one time to have secured the Lexington & Eastern but that opportunity slipped and much of the trade we could, prior to the construction of this road, claim as our own went elsewhere. We may be able to secure railroad facilities that would give us a fighting chance for its return, but if we had a connection it should be under our own control so that trains would be run in our interest, making such connections as would be most convenient to the trade. Our committees should consider all these things.

## CONSPIQUOUSLY

ON RECORD.

Theodore Roosevelt is the first president of the United States since Abraham Lincoln who had expressed himself publicly in favor of woman suffrage before attaining the presidency. Cleveland proved himself favorable to it by actions rather than words, as he signed bills giving women partial suffrage in New York when he was Governor of that State. Hayes favored it in his quiet way, and helped to get a woman's right resolution through the National Republican Convention of 1872. Garfield recognized its growing importance. He said: "Laugh as we may, put it aside as a jest if we will, keep it out of Congress or political campaigns, still the woman question is rising on our horizon larger than the size of a man's hand, and some solution, ere long, that question must find."

Mrs McKinley presented a handsome doll to the National Suffrage Bazaar not long before her husband's assassination, and Ohio suffragists, in their resolutions of regret for President McKinley's death, spoke of him as a sympathizer with the cause. Some other presidents were believed to be more or less friendly to it, but Roosevelt and Lincoln have been the only ones to put themselves conspicuously on record.

Woman suffrage is a subject up to the times. What shall be done with it? Shall woman enter by thought, word and act the political arena? If men would seriously consider the vital principles of the party for the purpose of finding out what is best for our people if they would be honest with themselves and away from an individual interest this question of

woman's suffrage would be far in the future. If there is a present necessity for women at the polls it is because men are not faithful and honest with the greatest number, their constituents. Women have home duties and church duties. They are going into the profession, the shops; and now to purify politics is another question to be decided soon.

## WEAK BACKBONE.

The Council of Sharpsburg met and ordered the license on saloons raised from \$200 per year to \$350. This closed them for a while. The Council reconvened, revoked their former order and made the license at the old figure, \$200. Had the Council on their reconvening made an advance of \$150 more, making the license \$350, instead of going backward, they may have saved much remorse of conscience and the saloonist time to consider the character of his business. If they must sell it is a better plan to make the business go high, but better far not to sell at all. If that Council had stiffened its backbone and made the license \$500 the city would have had more money or less drunkenness; the women and children more bread and less abuse:

## WE OBJECT.

Speaking of Kentucky exhibits how would it do to send over a section of one of mountain roads in winter time. Commissioner Halsey and Tutt should secure that section just this side Helechawa and clinch the honor (?) for Wolfe county. —The Herald, Hazelgreen.

We have seen that road in spring, summer and winter. We object to the exhibit, as it would discredit the intelligence, common sense, business capacity and regard for the public, on the part of our Kentuckians who are supposed to be in charge of public thoroughfares in Wolfe county, the immediate vicinity of Hazelgreen.

This is not the first time we have noticed roads and streets in and out of Montgomery county. These words, plainly spoken, should be taken as an admonition and not as a cut or criticism.

## IN INDIANA.

Leander Guffy, tipstaff of the Court of Appeals, has been located at Marion, Ind., where he has opened a law office.

Early in October he skipped from Kentucky to Indiana. He evidently knew too much about the conspiracy to kill Gov. Goebel to be easy in Kentucky; so he followed the example of other distinguished (?) worthy (?) law-abiding (?) Kentucky Republicans and is now sojourning under the protection of a Republican Governor.

Wait, wait, wait, a little longer and you'll find out what Yousey has said before the Franklin County Grand Jury, concerning Taylor, Finley, Howard, Powers & Co.

## STOCK MARKETS.

Mt. Sterling stock markets continue to improve. Monday court, fine mules were seen by the score. Home market is improving and considering the weather the cattle market was as good as should have been expected. We expect for 1903 the best markets in Mt. Sterling's history.

## DIVORCE.

Dockets of many of our courts are burdened with divorce cases. This could be remedied by those authorized to perform marriage ceremonies refusing to officiate in cases only where scriptural grounds exist for divorce. The sacred matrimonial vows are often too lightly regarded.

## SWEAR NOT.

Judge Pieratt has issued a mandate against swearing in the town, which has perceptibly lessened the disgusting use of profanity upon our streets. —The Herald, Hazelgreen.

How about Mt. Sterling?

## MUCH TO DO.

The grand jury, if they carry out the instructions of the court will be of valuable service to the country. The foreman, Hon. J. D. Young, will cover as much ground as the limited time will permit and doubtless evil doers will be glad when the time comes for adjournment. Laws must be regarded.

## A FINE MAN.

We are in receipt of late papers from Guthrie, Oklahoma, sent by Mr. C. H. Denham. Guthrie is to be congratulated upon having as one of her business men, a man of such sterling worth and known integrity as Col. Denham. When the people there learn to know him they will find him a honest man and an upright citizen.

## LAND, STOCK AND CROP ITEMS.

Andy Wills bought of S. A. Duff a weanling mare for \$98.

Ed McClure and T. N. Bush sold to R. C. Gatewood 5 hogs at \$5.75.

P. B. Turner sold to R. C. Gatewood 40 117-pound hogs at 65 cents, Feb. 1st.

Wm. Jndy, of Clark, sold a sorrel horse for \$90. The buyer was offered \$95.

A. P. Darnell, of Fleming, bought of C. S. Talbot of Bourton, a span of mules for \$280.

L. B. Cockrell and Jones Combs, of Wade's Mill, sold 12 acres of tobacco to Mr. Ellis, of Paris, at 10 and 3 cents. H. C. Gillepie sold to same two crops at 10 cents and 10 1/2 cents.

Wm. Cravens, auctioneer, reports the following sale, January 16th. A. Priest Henry, administrator of Daniel Henry, deceased. Three hogs at \$7 per head; 1 sow and 5 shiots, \$26; 1 sow and 6 shiots, \$28; 1 1/2 year-old cow, \$29; 1 1/2 year-old cow, \$20; 1 10 year-old cow, \$28.50; 14 calves at \$18.10 per head.

## Lieutenant Governor of South Carolina a Murderer.

At Columbia, S.C. on last Thursday N. G. Gonzales, editor of the State, was shot down in the street by James H. Tillman, Lieutenant Governor of the State. His condition ever since was critical and death resulted at 1 p.m. on Monday. There seemed to be no provocation for the attack. The editor met the Lieutenant Governor and two friends on the street and stepped to one side of pavement to let them pass. No words were passed. The high official drew his pistol and fired. A disputed says there is universal sorrow in the city. Since the shooting Tillman has been in jail.

## Letter Boxes Free.

The Postoffice Department has decided to furnish every farmer, at his own expense, with an official letter box, which, being the property of the government, will be protected against theft by the lawful authority of the Federal law. Thus in future, on the rural free delivery routes, mail matter will be as safe from robbers as when deposited in receptacles on urban street corners.

Another new departure is likely to be the employment of women more extensively as carriers on rural routes. Already a few small carriers of the gentler sex are in the service, at the customary \$50 a month.

## Small Fox.

At meeting of City Council and Circuit Court on Friday, two committees, composed of councilmen King and Wm. Bots, and A. A. Hazelrigg and C. G. Thompson, of the court, were appointed to act jointly in doing what is necessary to suppress and prevent the spread of small pox. There is need of caution.

Rev. A. N. White, former pastor of the Carlisle Baptist Church, has been admitted into the Confederate Soldiers Home.

## The Monument China's Warning

## To the Boxers and a Symbol of Peace.

The dedication of the Von Ketteler memorial arch, which occurred at Pekin, Jan. 18, was an impressive ceremony. The arch was erected by China. Baron Von Ketteler was the German Minister who was killed by Boxers at the out-break of the Boxer trouble. The dedication took place in the presence of a brilliant assemblage of diplomats, many Chinese officials, 40 military officers in Pekin. Baron Von Dergoltz, First Secretary of the German Legation, officiated in behalf of Germany, and Prince Chun, brother of the Emperor, who was sent to Germany to apologize for the murder of the Minister, represented China at the alter, while imperial sacrificial vessels were erected before the arch. Chun poured out a libation in honor of the dead man. He spoke as follows:

"This monument is to be a warning, a sign of friendly relations between our two countries and a symbol of peace."

To these words Baron Von Dergoltz replied:

"This monument has been consecrated to the Emperor of Germany by the Emperor of China as permanent proof of the anger of the Emperor at this crime. In erecting this monument in China he fulfills the obligation he took up after the events of 1900. The monument shall stand as a sermon to posterity and as a lasting symbol of the desire of the Chinese Government to promote and perpetuate friendly relations with foreign governments."

## Circuit Court.

Circuit Court convened Monday, with Judge Jno. E. Clegg on the bench and Commonwealth Attorney A. Young at his post. The docket is composed of 108 contested equity cases, 31 equity appearances, 10 continued ordinary, 19 or diary and 115 Commonwealth.

The following gentlemen compose the petit jury:

P. R. Cockrell, R. M. Smith, D. L. Smith, Frank Chenault, Frank Blount, Nick Hadden, Jr., Thomas Hisle, T. J. Thomas, C. E. Dug, J. T. Highland, J. E. Young, W. O. Chenault, W. O. Green, John W. Lockridge, G. E. Chick, Joe John, R. M. Conner, Trav. Wells, J. A. James, Levi Kratzler, Wallace Scott, Sam Greenawade, H. Barnes, Alvin Myers.

## GRAND JURY.

John D. Young, Sr. Foreman; J. W. Gatewood, H. C. Robinson, H. K. Oldham, S. S. Fier, Vol. Gillispie, E. R. Wilburn, Simpson Garrett, Frank Cochran, W. L. Stout, Alvin Myers, T. L. Fogg.

## Pest House in Bath Burned.

Several carpenters were at work on Sunday building a pest house 14 x 32 feet at the County Poor House on McDaniel's farm, near Owingsville. On Sunday night incendiaries applied the torch and destroyed the partially constructed building. Such conduct merits the attention of a grand jury and heavy penalty of the law.

## United States Supreme Court Holds Adams Divorce Void.

The United States Supreme Court Jan. 19, again passed upon the validity of divorces granted in South Dakota to non-residents. The case in point was that of Minnie Andrews vs. Kate H. Andrews. It is said the question at issue is as to which is entitled to administer upon the estate of Charles S. Andrews, whom both claimed as husband.

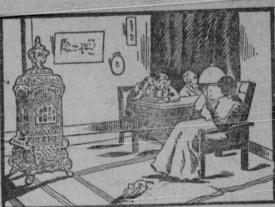
Mrs. Kate Andrews was the first wife, and her husband secured a divorce in South Dakota after remaining there six months, the time required by the statutes of that State.

The Supreme Court affirmed the lower court, holding that the Dakota divorce was void.

## A Good Farm.

The 104 acre farm of the late J. C. Tyler is one of the best in the county. Close to the city, could be made to pay big as a small dairy and garden farm. See advertisement in this issue.

## MOORE'S STOVES ALWAYS PLEASE



## MOORE'S AIR-TIGHT HEATER

will keep you warm with any kind of coal or coke. It uses the least fuel, and by circulating the air like a furnace heats the rooms evenly. Buy it and be comfortable.

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## CUT PRICES FOR THE NEXT TEN DAYS!

For TEN DAYS we will offer for sale at a greatly reduced price our large stock of

## Heinz's and Flaccus Bros.' Preserves,

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## Great Reduction in Other Lines.

Call and see us, and you will be surprised what the cash will buy.

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## C. T. EVANS &amp; CO.,

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## Furniture Rooms

For your Carpets, Rugs, Druggets, Oil Cloths, Linoleums, Chairs, Bed Room Suirs, Book Cases, Folding Beds, Chiffoniers, etc. We will sell you the best goods at the lowest prices.

Sutton & Harris,  
MT. STERLING, KY.

It is only ten days until the store room of Oldham Bros. & Co. will close to arrange for the new spring goods now arriving. Until then the public name a price and take the goods.

The valuation of property in Bath county is a million dollars more than last year. The Guffy & Galey holdings at Ragland were assessed at \$500,000.





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**Members of the Illinois Legisla-  
ture Driven from the  
King Side.**

At Springfield, Ill., on Wednes-  
day night, 14th, a company of  
soldiers stopped the fire fight be-  
tween Ole Olson, of Chicago, and  
"Kid" Williams, of Philadelphia,  
by special order of Gov. Yates.  
Several hundred spectators, includ-  
ing many members of the Illinois  
Legislature, were ordered from the  
ring side by Chief of Police Herring.  
While the audience was de-  
bating whether or not to dispose of  
the chief of police, the militia ap-  
peared, and a hasty exodus fol-  
lowed.

**Rebate Bill Unanimously Passed  
By Senate.**

The Senate on Wednesday, 14th,  
acted promptly on the House bill  
providing rebates of the duty on  
coal and passed it unanimously  
without debate a few minutes after  
it was brought from the House.

**A Record Breaker.**

W. M. Gibbs, Pineville, against  
whom there were 10 indictments for  
selling whiskey, was given fines  
aggregating \$1,000 and 300 days in  
jail. This is a record breaker for  
the Bell Circuit Court.

**Perkins Formally Elected.**

George C. Perkins was formally  
elected United States Senator in  
California.

Lake Forrest College, Illinois,  
offers \$6,000 for the best book  
written in defense of the Christian  
faith. Why not offer the bible?

Andrew Carnegie has given  
\$250,000 to establish public libra-  
ries in New Orleans.

**Senate Followed House in Passing  
Senate Bill: Anthracite is Vir-  
tually Placed on Free  
List.**

The bill reported from the Ways  
and Means Committee on Tuesday,  
13th, to provide for a rebate of the  
duties on coal for a period of one year, was passed in  
short order by the House on the  
14th, by 258 to 5, those voting  
against it being Messrs. Cushman  
and Jones, of Washington; Gaines,  
of West Virginia; Mandell, of  
Wyoming, and Patterson, of Penn-  
sylvania, all Republicans.

The only opposition to the meas-  
ure came from some of the mem-  
bers representing coal States.

Both Mr. Dalzell, of Pennsylvania,  
and Mr. Payne, of New York,  
the Republican leaders, express-  
ed the opinion that the bill would not  
relieve the existing distress.

The Democrats took the view  
that it did not go far enough, say-  
ing that coal should go on the free  
list, and when the bill came back  
from the Senate with a proviso  
which virtually placed anthracite to  
coal on the free list, they an-  
nounced it would be voted down.

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## Women In Office.

The elections of 1902 marked no  
advance in the matter of woman  
suffrage, but there was a consider-  
able increase in the number of wom-  
en elected to office and in the num-  
ber of women voted for various  
places.

In Idaho, May L. Scott was the  
Republican candidate for Superin-  
tendent of Schools. She received  
31,342 votes, and was elected.

Luelia Kribbly, the Socialist  
candidate for School Superintend-  
ent of Kansas, received 4200.

Wright County, Iowa, gave near-  
ly 2000 Republican majority and  
elected Miss Jennie G. Keith, of  
the Goldfield Recorder, by a major-  
ity of 1341 votes over her Democ-  
ratic opponent. Miss Keith is an  
advocate of the industrial rights of  
women on a basis of merit. She is a  
newspaper woman by profession.

Mrs. Helen Grenfell is Superin-  
tendent of Public Instruction in  
Colorado, and Anna F. Smith re-  
ceived 11,439 votes for Superin-  
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California at the recent election,  
running on the Socialist ticket.

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**Beckham to Be Appeal d to In  
Earl Whitney's Behalf.**

Earl Whitney, under sentence of  
death for the murder of Mr. A. B.  
Chinn, has been notified by tele-  
gram that the officers of the State  
Reform School at Kirklevington,  
Tenn., had prepared a record of  
Whitney's school life there and  
would give it to Gov. Beckham  
with a plea for commutation of his  
sentence.

Whitney was a prisoner there  
and is said to have won the esteem  
of the management while there.  
The school is similar to the one  
located at Greendale in Fayette  
county.

**Refuses to Divide Tax Funds.**

The trustees of the Shelbyville  
Colored School have filed suit in  
the County Court against County  
Superintendent of Schools, Robert A.  
Burton, for a division of the fran-  
chise tax collected from the rail-  
roads by him. Supt. Burton  
claims that the tax is for the bene-  
fit of the white graded school.

This is the first case of the kind  
brought in the Kentucky courts for  
a division of the franchise tax.

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Lv. Lex. Southbound. Lye. Cin.

\*9:00 a.m. Local Express. 6:50 a.m.

\*10:30 a.m. Florida & N. O. 8:30 a.m.

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Braved Floating Ice.

In spite of a river full of floating  
ice, which is preventing steam-  
boats from running, Lee Langston  
and Beulah Estes clapped from Ros-  
ington, Ky., and crossed to Met-  
ropolis in a skiff. An irate parent  
was unable to pursue the elopers.  
A crowd on the river bank watched  
the couple make the perilous journey.  
The wedding took place in the  
office of a justice of the peace  
on January 14.

## A FATAL MISTAKE

IS OFTEN MADE BY THE  
WISEST PEOPLE.

It's a fatal mistake to neglect  
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Backache is the first symptom of  
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ment, and I was afraid to handle  
anything for fear of a reminder in  
the shape of a twinge of pain. I  
traded at Dr. J. N. Murdoch's drug  
store on Third street, and have  
something to get in the drug line  
every time I come in. It was there  
I learned about Doan's Kidney  
Pills and I took a supply home with  
me and used them. My wife used  
them and my sister, Mrs. A. Amick,  
of No. 645 Seventh street, used  
them. They cured the three of us,  
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**Merchant Shot By Burglars.**

Euclid Hardcastle, a merchant  
at Cassady, near Bowling Green,  
was shot through the head by  
burglars and may die. His store  
was being broken into and Mr.  
Hardcastle aroused. He fired on the  
crowd, five in number. One of the  
men fell and was carried away  
by two of his companions. The  
other two opened fire on the mer-  
chant, and one ball passed through  
the back of his head.

**New Time Table on C. & O.**

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**Accept the Opportunity.**

It is a perplexing problem for us  
to understand why some parents  
are so indifferent about the educa-  
tion of their children. The tax-  
payers, at a heavy expense, pro-  
vide free schools for the children,  
and yet we see children of school  
age on the streets every day that  
should be in school. It is a serious  
crime to permit children to grow  
up in ignorance where good free  
schools are provided for their edu-  
cation.—Winchester Democrat.

## Do Not Encourage Lawlessness

Such Clemency is Harmful.

Big Sandy News: Much of the  
lawlessness existing around here  
and throughout this section is due  
to the practice, so prevalent in our  
courts, of compromising cases.

It is a very rare instance where a com-  
promise should be made with a crimi-  
nal. The excuse that it is done  
to save the county, state, town or  
people the expense of executing the  
penalty prescribed by law is the  
weakest and most dangerous thing  
imaginable. Economy is not the  
object in matters of law and order.

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## PERSONAL.

Ed Ratiiff, of Bethel, has typhoid fever.

J. G. Trimble, Sr., will go to Memphis next week.

Miss Ruth Bell, after a visit to friends in the county, has returned home.

Mrs. Lulie Pieratt, of Ezel, was with the family of J. A. Stevens, last week.

Mrs. Mary Anderson is with her daughter, Mrs. Cunningham, in St. Louis.

Robt. W. Haley, of Bethel, spent Sunday with the family of Mrs. J. W. Ratliff.

Miss Lelia Anderson and niece.

Miss Lelia Rogers, are visiting in Cincinnati.

Miss Beulah Shankland, was called to Stanton last Saturday on legal business.

Misses Nell Shirley and Mary Marcelline have returned from Huntington, W. Va.

Honi Armstrong and bride (nee Anderson), of Flemingsburg, spent Monday in town.

Mrs. Lucy Austin, of Louisville, visited Mr. and Mrs. James W. Simpson last week.

Mrs. Flora Samuels Hughart has joined her husband in Grand Rapids, Mich. They will reside there.

Jas. Gilvin and wife, of Nichol, has spent Monday and Tuesday with Chas. Stephens and P. B. Turner.

R. C. Hill, of Beattyville, Republican candidate of Railroad Commissioner, was in town on Monday.

Miss Ell Trimb, who has been visiting Paris, Ill., and other cities for three months, returned home last week.

Mr. L. R. Greene and two daughters, of Bramblett, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. S. T. Greene.

S. J. Totten and wife, of Frenchburg, spent from Friday till Tuesday, with George Hartgrove and family, on Spencer.

Geo. Moxley and family, of

Sharpsburg, after a residence of 8 years in that neighborhood returned this week to Steptown.

Robert Shes is with his parents at Paris.

Miss Agnes Walsh is with Miss Ort, of Ironton, O.

Miss Lillie Taul is with Mrs. Johnston, of Ashland.

Mrs. Emma Chastain visited her daughter, Mrs. Virginia Corbin in Georgetown this week.

Jas. H. Gelvin, wife and babe, of Bethel, visited relatives here from Sunday until yesterday.

Miss Bettie Reid, of Pilot Grove, Mo., is visiting at Mrs. Pattie Bright's on Clay street.

Mrs. Howard Anderson is visiting her brother, T. M. Arrasmith, Greensboro, North Carolina.

Mrs. W. H. Horner, of Sharpsburg, has returned from a visit to her parents in Shelby county.

Miss Mary Pratt Hadden and her guest, Miss Ada Cunningham, attended the oratorical contest at Georgetown College last Saturday.

Messrs. James Riley Long and Fletcher Cheatham, of Carlisle, spent Monday and Tuesday with their cousins, Mrs. Jas. E. Thompson and McClellan Cheatham.

Mrs. G. W. McCormick came from Frenchburg on Monday. As soon as Mr. McCormick returns from Missouri they will go either to Georgia or Texas to spend the winter.

Henry C. Turner, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Turner, his parents, and other relatives in the city and county for the past four weeks, left this morning for his home in Charleston, Ill.

J. B. Cecil and little son, of Hazel Green, passed through town last week en route from Louisville, where a specialist on hip diseases examined the latter. The prospects for a cure are unfavorable.

Mr. C. P. Curd, of McClainesboro, Ill., was in the city last week visiting friends. He has just returned from the Philippines Islands where he has been engaged as a soldier, and says he is happy to get back to his old Kentucky home.

Miss Jennie Cloud, of Lexington, stopped over here to visit her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Thomson, last Friday, returning from New York City, where she had been visiting her daughter, Miss Mary, who is doing a fine business there.

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Prof. Throop and children have moved from Winchester and occupy the Marshall property on Clay street. Since September he has been teaching at Stoops. The regular term closes tomorrow and he expects to secure a private school there. He is very popular in the neighborhood socially and as a teacher.

Mrs. Gano Buckner and babe, of Harrodsburg, will come to this city next Monday, where they stay until about April 1st. Her husband and Rev. W. T. Tibbs will sail from New York on February 7th, for a trip to Palestine and will be gone about 2½ months. Rev. B. B. Tyler and wife, of Denver, Col., will be in the party.

Capt. M. A. Tyler, son of W. T. Tyler, of this city, who has been teaching at Auburn, Ky., has accepted a position with the Pettibone Bros. of Cincinnati, manufacturers of regalia, uniforms, etc. Maj. L. D. Greene, son of Lucien Greene, who has been teaching at St. Charles Military College, of St. Charles, Mo., succeeds Capt. Tyler.

Owing to change of firm, every article in our stock will be sold at first cost for cash.

PUNCH & GATEWOOD.

Oldham Bros. & Co. have made another cut slaughter price on their stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, etc.

Our finest makes of ladies' and gentlemen's shoes and all furnishings go in our clearance sale at cost for cash.

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## DEATHS.

RIED.—Peter Ried, of Bath county, aged 74 years, died at his home last week.

Ex-Mayor Hewitt, of New York City, aged 81, died on Sunday morning.

Mrs. Joseph Sewell, aged 53, died of consumption at the home in Kiddville on Friday Jan. 9.

SCOTT.—John Scott, of the Rowan County Board of Equalization, died suddenly of heart disease at Morehead Wednesday.

DAVIS.—Mrs. Betsy Davis, aged 65 years, died at her home at Ezel Monday, January 12. She was the mother of B. F. Davis.

NEWMAN.—Simpson R. Newman died at his home near Grange City, of stomach trouble, aged 60 years. He was a former sheriff of Fleming county.

GREEK.—Sam Green, of Boonesboro, Clark county, formerly of this county, died on Friday, January 16, 1903, aged 63. He was the father of J. W. Green, of Judy, who attended the burial.

TOLLIVER.—Mrs. Ellen Tolliver died at her home near Radburn on Saturday, aged 92 years. She was the mother of Usgay and Foy Tolliver, who figured in the Rowan county feuds fifteen years ago.

LINDEN.—David Linden, of Gilmore, Wolfe county, died of typhoid fever on Wednesday, January 14, 1903, and was buried Friday. He leaves a wife and one child. He was one of the county's best citizens.

LOCKNANE.—James Locknane died at his home in Winchester on Monday, Jan. 19, 1903. The funeral service will take place this morning at 10 o'clock. Hamerard Miss Florence Mize, of Estill Co., a niece of J. G. Trimble, of this city. Mr. Locknane's death results from a fall from a wagon days ago.

THOMAS.—H. Clay Thomas, son of Mrs. Lou Thomas, was born in this city, Nov. 19, 1875, and has since lived here. For about three weeks he has not been well but was not confined to his bed until two weeks ago. His sickness developed in typhoid fever and on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Jan. 18, 1903, he died. The funeral service was conducted at the home on Tuesday afternoon by B. W. Trimble assisted by J. B. Greenwade and the burial was in Machpelah. He was a member of the Christian Church. He was told by his mother and physician that he could not live. He said that while he realized the imperfections of his life he had committed himself to God who is merciful. For the good of others we are permitted to say that his melancholy disposition and death are attributed to the excess use of cigarettes. For his mother he had great attachment and for many weeks was with her. Of her six children only two are left. To her we extend our sympathy.

BOGIE.—The Kansas City Times, of Jan. 5th, announces the sudden death of Dr. M. A. Bogie, of that city, from an attack of uremia. He was a cousin of Mr. James S. Bogie, of this county, who, speaking of Dr. Bogie said: "He was a handsome man, a good man, thoughtful, scholarly and frugal. I had long desired to have him visit me at my home, but when I felt that I could entertain him handsomely, the death reaper had interceded and my cousin was taken." Dr. King, an office associate of Dr. Bogie, said: "He was a grand man, strictly an ethical physician and was chief surgeon of the Kansas City Belt Railway. Methodical, he kept a diary for twenty years which contains much interesting reading. He numbered among his friends almost all of the public men of Kansas City. Brethren of the profession esteemed him for his sterling qualities as a man and physician.

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#### Didn't Last.

A young married man who died in Louisville made it his last request of his family that his children should not be brought up in society or allowed to become members of the swell set. He got the promise, but from all appearances it was never kept. Now, there are two or three, maybe more, of our swell married couples who are going so fast it is about time to throw out the anchor. There is a story told by a bright Main-street man of two Irishmen who concluded to tour America on foot, but after

they had gotten a little way along they saw a horse and, feeling pretty footsore, resolved to buy it, "Pat," said Mike, "how can we stop her if she runs away?" "We'll get an anchor, bethed," said Pat, "and when she gets to going we'll throw it out." Well, they got a lot of roads, tied them in a big sack, attached a rope to the same and put the anchor in front of them on the horse. Then Mike saw a pair of old Mexican spurs. "Ah," said he, "there's something to clinch on by; let's have them." He bought the spurs, not knowing their real use, and, having dug his heels into the old mare's flanks, was horrified to find her going like a windmill. The more he spurred her the faster she went. Just about this time Pat exclaimed, "Ois, Moike, my boy, isn't it about time we cast out th' anchor?"

If the chronicles of the restauranteurs and others can be believed it's about time for some apprehensive soul to cast out the anchor on some of these dilly couples who are digging the spurs in the sides of the old Society mare.

#### Contribute \$150,000,000.

Members of leading London firms representing South African interests held an important meeting on Jan. 15, and definitely agreed on a war contribution of \$150,000,000, payable in three annual installments of \$50,000,000, and covered by a loan not redeemable before ten years. The first \$50,000,000 will be issued in 1904. Baron Rothschild was appointed to choose the date of the issue.

An announcement of the agreement arrived at was cabled to Colonial Secretary Chamberlain at Johannesburg, His acceptance is anticipated.

#### School at Hindman.

The Hindman Settlement School, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., has opened its second term. The faculty is composed of ladies who are strong, active educational workers and who are giving the best efforts of their life to the advancement and upbuilding of the school.



**Mrs. Fred Unrath,**  
President, Hindman, Kentucky.

"After my first baby was born I did not seem to regain my strength although the doctor gave me a tonic while I was in bed. I was not strong enough to get along better I grew weaker every day. Mrs. Cardini insisted that I take Wine of Cardini for a week and what it would do for me. I did take the medicine and was very grateful to find my strength and health slowly returning. In two weeks I was out of bed and in a month I was able to take up my usual duties. I am very enthusiastic in its praise."

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#### WOLFE COUNTY NEWS.

Henry Pierott sold his Murphy farm of 100 acres, to John Nobles of Breathitt county, for \$1,000 cash.

J. E. Morris, of Finecastle, has rented the "Dawey," at Lee City.

Several young folks left Stillwater to attend school at Campout. Bud Swango and family last week removed from Stillwater to Hazel Green, and are occupying the house recently built by John M. Rose, on College avenue.

John Little, who has been living near Terra Haute, Ind., for two years, came back and located on Lacy creek.

John P. Simer has gone to Morehead, where he and his brother will sell goods. He was located at Lee City.

#### The Need of Christ.

Every thinking man who has seen much of life has been impressed with the lack of real and deep happiness on the part of multitudes of people. He has also noted the absence of seriousness and of earnest purpose in the average man. To the Christian this all means that the world sorely needs Jesus Christ. He alone can impart the joy it wants; He alone can make life purposeful and useful to the highest degree. If we but realized how sorely the man next to us needs the comradeship and inspiration and the salvation of the Man of Nazareth, we would be quicker to speak the word of witness and of urging.

The Treasury Department has learned that to a certain extent alien girls and women are being imported into this country for immoral purposes. An effort will be made to have women inspectors meet incoming ships and warn such visitors as to the character of the houses where they are going—practically all of those recently imported being under the impression that they had been engaged for honest employment.

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#### Judge Was Offered Bribe Of \$250,000.

At Helena, Montana, sensational testimony was given in the disbarment proceedings brought by Judge Harney, of the district bench, against Arthur J. Shores, chief counsel of the Amalgamated Copper Company, in Montana.

Jesse B. Root, former attorney for Senator W. A. Clark, testified that offers of \$100,000, \$200,000 and finally \$250,000 were made to Judge Harney if he would make a statement that F. A. Heinz had bribed him to give a decision in the famous Minnie Heinz mine case and resign his place on the bench. The offers were made by Charles Clark, son of the Senator, in the presence of Attorney Root, in Mr. Shore's private room at the Thorn-Ton Hotel, on the nights of Aug. 5 and 6, 1902. According to Root Harney resisted all overtures, and then Mrs. Ada Brackett was sent for and \$2000 was offered to her to use her influence on Harney, but this also miscarried.

**Tax Claims, Special Agent For Auditor Files Suit.**

T. C. Arbitron, special auditor's agent, filed suit against the National Bank of Kentucky. Claim is made for \$4,671.64 for the franchise tax for 1899. For 1900 the claim is: Franchise, \$4,129.04, capital stock and surplus, \$13,153.13. Under the Hewitt law, which the bank claims governs, the account would be set forth in the petition: Surplus, \$4,457.48; capital stock, \$12,338.25; total \$16,785.73.

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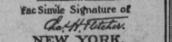
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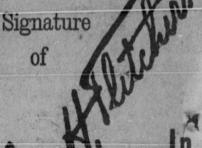
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Time Table corrected to June 25, 1901.

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